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SUBJ: RUMORS ABOUT BRAZILIAN SOYBEAN EXPORT TO SPAIN

REF: BRASILIA 6468

1. PRIVATE TRADE SOURCES REPORTING ON THE MUCH PUBLICIZED SPANISH TRADE MISSION TO BRAZIL INFORM US THAT THE MISSION MADE UP OF MINISTRY OF COMMERCE OFFICIALS VISITED BRAZIL BEGINNING JULY 12 LAST WITH THE PURPOSE OF SEEKING WAYS TO EQUILIBRATE THE BALANCE OF PAYMENTS. ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE MISSION WAS THE COMMISSIONER GENERAL FOR SUPPLIES, MR. FELIX PAREJA. PRIOR TO HIS VISIT TO BRAZIL, MR. PAREJA, THROUGH THE HEAD OF THE CRUSHERS'S ASSOCIATION, CHECKED THE INDUSTRY'S REACTION TO THE PURCHASE OF BRAZILIAN SOYBEANS. ONE OF THE QUESTIONS POSED BY THE COMMISSIONER TO THE INDUSTRY WAS WHETHER IT WOULD BE WILLING TO BUY 50 PERCENT OF ITS CRUSHING REQUIREMENTS IN BRAZIL. INDUSTRY'S ANSWER WAS THAT IT WAS NOT POSSIBLE TO TELL IN ADVANCE, THAT EVERYTHING WOULD DEPEND UPON PRICE.

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2. THE MISSION HAS RETURNED AND IT APPEARS THAT NO SPECIAL

AGREEMENT CAME OUT OF THE VISIT INSOFAR AS SOYBEANS ARE  
CONCERNED. NEVERTHELESS, PRIVATE COMPANIES HAVE INCREASED  
PURCHASES OF BRIZILIAN SOYBEANS THIS YEAR (143,800 MT  
THROUGH JUNE 1975 COMPARED WITH 9,500 MT THROUGH JUNE 1974)  
TO MEET SPECIFICATIONS OF SOME CUSTOMERS FOR HIGH QUALITY  
BRAZILIAN BEANS.  
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